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Can you pronounce?

Weigela

Raphiolepis

Bougainvillea



Dear Customer:

My Dad says that if you'll send me at least a \$10 order before Christmas, he'll let me do something unusual for you -- send you a nice useful gift.

Oscar Gray, Jr. Ordinarily we don't give premiums because our high quality and low prices don't permit it, but Dad says he wants a bang-up start this fall, and I'm willing to go to unusual lengths to help him get it. Since you are one of our customers, it is not necessary for me to tell you a lot of things about our fine Nursery that you already know.

Even though you may wish to select either all or part of your actual order later, you may mail me \$10 now - and you will receive my gift by return mail. If you desire you may reserve now some special or scarce item that we can hold for you until you send us the remainder of your order later on. Some items, like "White Redbud", are so scarce that it is going to be a matter of "First come, first served".

WHITE REDBUD TREES. We will have exactly 100 of this unusual tree available by about the middle of December. Many folks have not known that there is a "rebdub" just like the ordinary redbud except that it produces snow-white blossoms in great abundance. You can reserve one (limit, 3) by placing an early order.

Large size Magnolias have been very hard-to-find for several years, but we have a limited number of fine, large Southern Magnolia in our nursery field. If you have been unable to find a nice one, come to see what we have available.

Gray's "RED BEAUTY" Mildew-resistant Crape Myrtle is the finest watermelon-red crape myrtle we have ever seen. Its marvelous coloring and large blossom-heads sometimes a foot long make it highly desirable, and it does not mildew like the ordinary crape myrtle. As you know, when mildew disease strikes crape myrtle, the leaves turn white and crinkle - then the plant ceases to bloom.

Grayway-Grown Papershell Pecan Trees...famous for more than 20 years - more than 50,000 pecan trees are growing in our nursery fields at Arlington. Ten varieties, suited to every soil and climate; at prices to fit every pocketbook. Many of our trees have borne from one to five crops of delicious papershell pecan nuts in our nursery -- trees that have already borne may be transplanted from our nursery to your home for early shade and fruiting. You'll be able to find the variety and size that you would like to have.

Gray's Non-Fruiting (Fruitless) Mulberry Trees are Different!

Grayway-Grown non-fruited Mulberry trees are grown on roots that are also non-fruited...in other words, the roots are just like the tops. If a Grayway-Grown Mulberry tree should be broken off at the ground, or should die down from any cause, the sprout from the roots would reproduce the same non-fruited top as originally grew. Other non-fruited mulberry trees are budded or grafted onto roots of fruiting mulberries, in which case sprouts from the roots can be expected to bear fruit.

As one of our customers, you have this opportunity to reserve items in which you may be especially interested. The chances are that you will spend at least \$10 and perhaps more for nursery stock; so if you will send your order to me on the enclosed special order blank, I'll send your gift to you at once so you can begin using and enjoying it.

Cordially,

(Who has a nice, useful gift for you)

(Be sure to use the order blank that I'm sending...so I'll know to mail your gift at once)

62 *Grays*

NON-FRUUITING MULBERRY

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Only 2 Years Growth

6 Inches in Diameter

Home of J. J. McInerny, Dallas, Texas

Gray's NON-FRUUITING MULBERRY One of the most rapid growing trees we know of. Have seen it grow 15 feet in one year. Smooth, attractive trunk; large, dark green leaves. Absolutely non-fruiting. Promises to fill a need for a really good, rapid growing shade tree. Young trees sometimes tender in the fall, but mature trees seem perfectly hardy, having taken the 8 deg. temperature a few years back.

O. S. GRAY NURSERY & LANDSCAPE

P. O. Box 513

Arlington, Texas

**We've had it grow
15 feet in One Summer**

**Grayway-Grown Trees
are Different
Because
They are grown on
Fruitless-Mulberry
Roots**

PRICES FOR

Fall '56 - Spring '57

8 to 10 Ft., branched	\$7.50
(3 for \$21.00)	
7 to 8 Ft., branched	6.50
(3 for \$18.00)	
6 to 7 Ft., branched	4.95
(3 for \$14.00)	
7 to 10 Ft., not brch.	4.75
(3 for \$13.00)	
5 to 7 Ft., not brch.	3.95
(3 for \$11.00)	

The above sizes cannot be mailed. Add \$1 packing charge if less than 3 trees are to be shipped.

Parcel Post Sizes

Prepaid to
Texas-Okla.-Ark.-La.

2 to 3 Ft.	3 for \$5.95
3 to 5 Ft.	3 for 6.95

N O T E : These small trees, with good care, often grow as much as 8 to 12 feet the first summer.

*"The Grayway
is the
Best-Way"*